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Mercantile Agency in New York.

This mercantile agency is a curiosity. It is a business my readers have but little conception of. It publishes a book of reference. This contains the names of all the principal persons in trade in all the cities of the United States and Canadas.

The charge for these books is $100, $150, or $200 per annum.

Each subscriber pays from one to five hundred dollars every year for information. Some dry goods houses pay as high as $1,000 per annum. For this sum the subscribers are kept posted in reference to almost every trade in the Union. A loss—a death—a change of partnership—failure—or any change, is communicated to the subscribers. Millions are saved to New York merchants every year by this agency.

Before Arthur and Lewis Tappan retired from business, it was openly charged upon them that they hated the South so cordially that it led to injustice in their reports of the standing of Southern men.

One large dealer South who deemed himself injured by their report of his standing and resources, sued in a New York court and recovered $10,000 damages.

The Tappans, Arthur and Lewis, retired from that business both aged and rich.

Their successors in the business (Dun, Boyd & Co.) employ about two hundred and fifty clerks. Their reports embrace the Canadas, as well as the cities and towns of the United States.

They give the character and standing of commercial firms of great houses that do a fifty million business in cotton and banking, or of Smith, the peanut dealer on the street corner, whose sales of roasted do not exceed 31 62 a day.

A merchant named Jones, from Seatwood, Minnesota, calls on Wheeler & Wilson to buy five sewing machines on credit.

"Call back in half an hour," says Wheeler, who at once goes to Dun, Boyd & Co. There he ascertains that Jones is or is not married; that Jones is courting a girl who will have $10,000 when her father dies—that Jones does or does not drink—that he spends one night at bucking the "Tiger"—that the night previous Jones did not sleep at the Astor, where he pretends to stop, but at a particular friend's house up town, where he ought not to stop—finally, that Jones is thirty-two years seven months and three days old—that he voted for Lincoln's election—that he belongs to the local church, and has attended it thirty-three times out of fifty two Sundays during the year 1861. Of course Wheeler & Co. don't sell to this genius Jones, and consequently do not lose the cost of five sewing machines.

To procure such varied information, and from all sections, Dun, Boyd & Co. employ 10,000 agents. The letters to them daily amount to over 2,000.

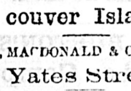
They do not pay high salaries. Their clerks get $250 to $300. Their business is mostly copying names—changes of firms—suits commenced—mortgages of property—deaths of children—marriage of men on their books—every change, in fact, is noted and recorded in Dun, Byyd & Co.'s books.

An agent of the old concern once called on a merchant in Broad street, and asked him to become a subscriber. He explained its advantages. The merchant hesitated—at last he says, "Tell me all about 'James Samson' and I will subscribe." The name is not on the agency books, but give me two days and I will find out all about him." The merchant agreed. The clerk got the name correctly, and said, "I'll find out all about him if he is in the United States. A week elapsed. The clerk of the agency called, and reported as follows: "James Samson is a peddler, aged 20; he comes to Albany to buy his goods, and then peddles them out along the canal from Albany to Buffalo. He is worth $2,200; owns a wooden house at Lockport, in his own name; his family reside in it; has a wife and three children, two boys and one girl; boys named Henry and Charles, aged four and six years; girl named Margaret, two years old; no judgment out or mortgage on property; drinks two glasses cider brandy, plain, morning and evening—never more; drinks water after each; chews fine-cut; never smokes; good teeth generally; he has lost a large double tooth on lower jaw, back, second from throat on left side; has a scar an inch long on his left knee-pan; cause, cut himself with a hatchet when only three years old; can be found when in Albany, at Pete Mason's, 72 State street; purchases principally jewelry and fancy articles belongs to the 'Shoe.'"

This is evidence of how systematically the business is carried on. The report was conclusive. It satisfied the Broad street merchant subscribed $150, and has paid it ever since.

Of course other and similar concerns have sprung up in this city, but none so large, so extensive and so valuable, as the great agency of Dun, Boyd & Co., started by Arthur & Lewis Tappan.—*Old Merchants of N. Y.*

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Copper Sheathing,
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Bar Tin,
Tin Plates,

—ALSO—

Waxed Calf Skins,
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—AND—

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Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Artificial Flowers &c., &c.,

All of the Latest Fashion. je20

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Conveyances, leases, &c., drawn up at reasonable rates. Je23

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1862.

WHEREAS, A PETITION FOR ADJUDICATION of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 22d day of June A. D., 1863, had been duly filed against THEODORE R TOSEY, of the corner of Government and Fort streets, in the city of Victoria, Grocer, and he having been declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cameron, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, on the third day of JULY next, at the hour of 12 noon, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his Estate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and to choose Assignees. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. WILLIAM CULVERWELL, Yates street, Victoria, the Official Assignee, and give notice to Mr. George Pearkes, of Government street, Victoria, Solicitor. je25 td

Public Works.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED TILL the 2 th instant, for the repair of the CRAIGFLOWER BRIDGE

Plans and Specifications to be seen at the Land Office.

B. W. PEARSE.

Lands and Works Department, 22d June 1863. je23 td

PROCLAMATION.

Vancouver Island.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 8th August, 1862.

THE GOVERNOR WITH THE ADvice of the Council, directs it to be notified:

That, to any person or persons who shall first discover a profitable Gold Field within the Colony of Vancouver Island, and make known and describe to the Colonial Government the site and limits of the tract of land comprised in his or their discovery, there shall be paid the sum of One Thousand Pounds sterling (£1000), provided the monies received for Licenses issued for working the said tract of land be equal to that amount; and provided always that there shall have been proved to the satisfaction of the local Government, that there has been BONA FIDE raised and produced from the said tract or field, within Six Months of the issue of the said Licenses, an amount of Gold equal in value to not less than Ten Thousand Pounds (£10,000).

By His Excellency's Command.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

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SAANICH DISTRICT.

BY VIRTUE OF THE COMMISSION vested in me by His Excellency James Douglas, C B., Governor of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, as a Justice of the Peace for the above named District, I do hereby give notice that I shall in pursuance thereof, proceed to hold a Court on Friday the 12th inst, and on each succeeding Friday, at 10 o'clock A. M., at Saanich Hall Farm, North Saanich, for the purpose of hearing and adjudicating upon all matters which may then and there be brought before me.

THOS. HARRIS, J. P.

Victoria, V. I., 1st June, 1863
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New Westminster, March 13, 1863. je24

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Under 15 " " ....6,00 "
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The Rev W. S. Reece and Mrs. Reece receive a limited number of Boarders. For further particulars apply to the Lady Principal at the College (the house formerly occupied by Chief Justice Cameron), Ray street, opposite Christ Church.

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Collegiate School for Boys,

VICTORIA, V. I.

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PRINCIPAL—The Rev Charles T. Woods, M. A., T. C. D. and Oxon.
VICE PRINCIPAL—The Rev. William Sheldon Reece, M. A., late Scholar of Emmanuel College, Cambridge
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ELECTRO-PLATE,
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At prices so low that the humblest of his followers can purchase them.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

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SO WELL KNOWN BY TRAVELERS in British Columbia, beg to inform the public that their House shall in future be called the Globe Hotel. It has been lately entirely refitted and greatly enlarged to meet their increased patronage. The Bedrooms, Billiard Saloon and Baths are well furnished to meet the requirements of persons stopping at the establishment. A Table d'Hote daily. Good Stabling for Horses.

The arrangements are so complete as to enable the Proprietors to make their guests comfortable, and the Hotel the equal of any first class house in British Columbia. je20 tf

JOHN BULL HOTEL,

GOVERNMENT STREET SOUTH.

The above is now carried on by

Mr. Francis Dodd,

Who will always make it his study

TO SUPPLY HIS CUSTOMERS

WITH THE BEST OF

WINES, SPIRITS AND BEER,

That can be Bought in this Market

A "Free and Easy"

As usual, on Wednesday and Saturday Evenings. je14

Oriental Hotel,

IN YATES STREET,

Corner of Oriental Alley.

Neatly Fitted up for Travellers.

SUITES AND SINGLE ROOMS

The Bedrooms are furnished with Spring Mattrasses.

THE BEST OF LIQUORS!

To be had at the Bar, and

EXCELLENT BILLIARD TABLES!

In the Saloon Unfurnished rooms may be had, if required

P MANETTA, Proprietor.

je 10 1m

Port Seaton House,

LAKE SEATON,

Harrison-Lillooet Route,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

THIS HOUSE IS SITUATED AT THE foot of Lake Seaton, on the Harrison-Lillooet Route, and is distant three miles and a half from Lillooet, and, having been just completed and fitted up with Single Rooms, New Furniture, &c., offers excellent accommodation for the travelling public.

TAYLOR & CO., Proprietors.

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HARDIES' HOTEL

New Westminster, B. C.

H. V. EDMONDS, Proprietor.

THIS HOUSE OFFERS ACCOMMODATIONS equal to any in the Colony at extremely moderate prices.

Ales, Wines, Spirits, and Cigars

Of the best Brands kept constantly on hand.

Square Meals.................50 cents
Beds...........................50 "
Board, per week..............$6 00
Board and Lodging, per week.. 8 00

Mattrasses provided free. je3 1m

FREDERICK WILLIAMS'

Steamboat Exchange Hotel,

Adjoining the Wharf, Esquimalt.

FREDERICK WILLIAMS BEGS TO notify travelers and the public in general, that he will in future conduct the above Hotel on his own account.

THE FINEST BRANDS OF

WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS!

ALWAYS ON HAND m27 1m

ST. NICHOLAS

HOTEL!

GOVERNMENT ST.,

VICTORIA, V. I.

N. C. MATTHIESSEN,
P. MATTHIESSEN, } PROPRIETORS.
H. VALENTINER,

THIS CAPACIOUS AND ELEGANT Hotel is now open for the accommodation of the public. It is fitted up with all the conveniences of a FIRST-CLASS HOUSE, the rooms being well lighted warmed and ventilated, and tastefully furnished There is a large

Public Restaurant!

Connected with the Hotel, and a Ladies' Ordinary. It also contains Private Parlors, Suites of Rooms for parties etc.

THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT

Is under the management of a first-class cook, and the Bakery is provided with one of the celebrated HAMBURG OVENS, which turns out Bread unsurpassed by any in the world Families supplied with Bread at the counter of the Restaurant. je13-1m

London and Lancashire

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

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Capital One Million.

Offices 73 and 74 King William st., London

AND

Water street, Liverpool.

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HAVING BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to issue Policies for Fire Insurance, and to settle all claims without delay at their office

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IMPORTED the finest Mineral Teeth and Dental materials that are to be found on the Pacific Coast and is ready to furnish sets or single teeth in the best style Dentistry in all its branches will be attended to by

DR. ZELNER.

Office in the Drug Store, cor. Government and Yates street

Dr Zelner has made arrangements during his absence from Victoria with Dr. Nicholes, Late of London, who will be in attendance daily and he guarantees that perfect satisfaction will be given in all cases where his services may be required. m27

HEYWOOD'S

CELEBRATED

PORK SAUSAGES.

Yorkshire Market,

Cor. of YATES AND BAYLEY STREETS.

Dealer in all kinds of SALT MEATS.

Genuine Yorkshire Hams;
Celebrated Westphalia Hams;
St. Clair's Belfast Hams;
Victoria (V. I.) Sugar Cured Hams;
Puget Sound Hams;
Oregon Hams;
California Hams;
Duffields Cincinnati Hams;
Heywood's Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon.
Smoked and Pickled Tongues.
Pure Leaf Lard &c
Cumberland Hams and Bacon.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

HENDERSON & BURNABY

WILL FOR THE FUTURE CLOSE their Store on SATURDAY at 2 o'clock, p m., Steamer days excepted. je18 tf

NOTICE.

THE WARDROOM OFFICERS OF H M S Topaze request that all outstanding accounts may be sent in immediately, addressed the Mess Committee.

June 18th, 1863 j19 tf*

$5 REWARD.

LOST.

A SMALL WALKING CANE WITH round handle and a silver strap round the upper part of it. Any person bringing the same to this office, will receive the above reward.

j19 tf

NOTICE.

AFTER THIS DATE NO MORE deposits will be received at our office Persons having special deposits, or holders of our certificates, will please call for their respective sums

SCHLOSS & LIVINGSTON, Bankers.

Victoria, V. I., June 15, 1863. j17 2w

NOTICE.

A through bred Durham Bull for service, $15 per head.

Apply to

J. FOWLER,
MR. CARY'S FARM,
Victoria District.

j15 tf

NOTICE.

I THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS day appointed Mr. Henry Leisewitz my agent, to liquidate the old firm of St Ours & Co. in my name, and also for all my new business transactions.

F. J. DE ST. OURS.

Victoria, 12th June, 1863.
j15 tf Witness, JOHN C. PRATT.

In the Estate of William H. H. Tucker, Deceased.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE ABOVE Estate having been THIS DAY granted by the Chief Justice to the undersigned, all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby requested to furnish accounts attested, on or before the TENTH DAY of JULY next ensuing, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Also, all persons indebted or having any property belonging to the estate, are desired to pay such debts, and deliver such property to the undersigned without delay.

DANIEL SCOTT.
JOHN GORDON MAKAY

Victoria, V. I., June 12th, 1863

N. B—All accounts to be left at Mr. Scott's Auction Room. j13td

NOTICE.

SHIP "VANCOUVER" FROM CARDIFF neither the Captain nor the undersigned agents of the above vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

j13 1m

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED THIS day have mutually dissolved partnership, and from this date any debts contracted on the partnership account will not be recognized by either. All outstanding debts due the firm are to be paid to William Wallace Cunningham, and all debts due by the firm will be settled by the said W. W. Cunningham.

W. W CUNNINGHAM,
H. N STEELE.

Witness, Henry C. Courtney, Solicitor.

10th May, 1863. j12 1m

NOTICE.

BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

WILL SELL DRAFTS ON SAN FRANCISCO for next steamer at par in Exchange for Coin or Gold Bars.

JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.

je9 tf

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM his Subscribers and the Public of Victoria, that he has disposed of his interest and goodwill in the Exchange Newsroom, Government street, to Mr. Christopher Loat, and in thanking them for past favors, trusts they will accord their hearty support to his successor.

All unpaid subscriptions will be collected by Mr. Loat.

H. F HEISTERMAN

Victoria, 1st June 1863. j2 1m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE HOUSE UNTIL NOW EXISTING under the Firm of ST. OURS & CO. is from this day dissolved by mutual consent

Mr F J De St. Ours is authorized to settle all accounts of the late Firm and collect all dues.

F. J. De ST. OURS.
JOHN KRIEMLER.

Witness—CHS. SCHMIDT. my29 tf

NOTICE!

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO subsisting between William Selleck and Frederick Williams of Esquimalt, Hotel keepers, is this day dissolved.

Dated 23d May, 1863.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Solicitor for the Attorney in fact of Mr. William Selleck.

JOHN COPLAND,
m27 1m Agent for Frederick Williams.

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER THE FIRST DAY of June next, the business of Bayley's Red House Grocery will be conducted entirely on cash principles

It is requested that all outstanding accounts be settled on or before the first day of July next.

May 26th, 1863. m27

A. J. BRUNN

FASHIONABLE

TAILOR,

—HAS JUST RECEIVED PER EXPRESS—

SUMMER CLOTHING

PANAMA HATS!!

DRAB & BLACK CASSIMERE HATS!

BOYS' FANCY CLOTH CAPS

FOR THE PRESENT SEASON.

DO CALL AT

BRUNN'S STORE,

Colonist Building,

(NEXT DOOR TO BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA)

GOVERNMENT STREET.

REMEMBER!

Good Goods and Good Workmanship is a Good Bargain.

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Boomerang Luncheon.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE WISH of many old customers, the proprietor has determined to serve up a

Cold Luncheon,

EVERY DAY FROM

TWELVE TILL THREE,

Consisting of the

VERY BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS,

And at a reasonable price.

Chops, Steaks, Welch Rarebits, Poached Eggs, &c., &c., supplied at all reasonable hours of the day and evening.

The CULINARY DEPARTMENT will be under the immediate charge of Mrs. R. J. McDonnell, late of Government street.

BOOMERANG, 1st May, 1863. j4 1m

FOR SALE.

25 KEGS BLASTING POWDER FOR sale by

m28 EDGAR MALVIN

WANTS.

JAMES JAMES.

ANY INFORMATION RELATIVE TO the said James will be thankfully received by his wife, who was wrecked on the Anglo Saxon, and who arrived at San Francisco, June 8th, on the steamer Constitution Address, Mrs. Eliza James corner of Pacific and Stockton streets, care of the Italian Consul, San Francisco. je24

Wanted.

20 GOOD AXEMEN TO GO TO BRITish Columbia to work on the Lytton and Alexandria Road.

Apply immediately to

je23 tf WILLIAM JEFFRAY.

WANTED.

A FEMALE SERVANT OF ALL WORK. Apply to MRS PEMBERTON, Fairfield Cottage.

je23 tf

Ship "Strathallan."

WANTED, TWO ABLE SEAMEN TO ship for China or England.

Apply on board to the Captain, or to HENDERSON & BURNABY, Wharf street.

je16 tf

INFORMATION WANTED

OF PAUL CURRY, A COLORED man, when last heard from, eighteen months ago, he was at Yankee Bar or Flat on Fraser River, he contemplated going to the Cariboo Mines. Any information concerning his whereabouts will be thankfully received by his brother Daniel Curry at Moores Flat, Nevada County, California, or Mr. Jacob Francis, Bulls Head Saloon, Yates street, Victoria.

j15 tf DANIEL CURRY.

To Land-owners, Agents, and Others.

THE ADVERTISER, WHO HAS HAD experience in Farming, Surveying, Draining, Roadmaking, etc., desires an engagement. Good references and security.

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STILL REMAINS TRIUMPHANT over all the multifarious medicines for the cure of PRIVATE DISEASES, no matter how long standing, without any injurious effects to the system. This remedy is PURELY VEGETABLE, quick in effect and certain in cure, acting as it does immediately on the organs themselves, giving them energy and vigor and removing inflammation in a manner superior to any medicine ever made known to the world.

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ESTABLISHED 1809.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Empowered by Special Acts of Parliament.

Subscribed Capital, £2,000,000 Sterling.
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This Company will ever distinguish itself in its promptitude and liberality in the settlement of claims

Insurance against Fire effected upon—Buildings and their Contents, Timber and Coal, Ships in harbor, with or without cargoes on board Ships under repair, or in course of construction.

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IN THE PRICE OF

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THE VICTORIA

Coal and Lumber Co.,

CONTINUES TO SELL THE ENGLISH

Ton of 2240 Pounds,

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Lowest Rates,

THE BEST QUALITY OF

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DOUGLAS PIT, FOR STEAMERS;
DO DO. SMALL, FOR BLACK SMITHS;
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DO DO, SMALL, FOR BRICK AND LIME KILNS;

ENGLISH COALS,

SUPERIOR CANNEL, For Parlor Use,
DO DO, For Smiths;

WITHOUT CHARGE

FOR DRAYAGE OR PORTERAGE.

—ALSO—

At Reduced Rates,

1,000 CORDS

DRY, PINE AND OAK WOOD,

In Quantities to Suit and of any desired Length.

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LUMBER,

250,000 feet Assorted Lumber

ONE INCH BOARDS;
ASSORTED SCANTLING;
FLOORING;
SIDING;
BATTENS,
PICKETS;
LATHS, ETC., ETC.

150,000 SHINGLES,

Orders left at my Office, City Wharf, foot of Yates street, will receive immediate attention.

JOHN T. LITTLE.

j2 tf

Thomas Pattrick & Co,

LIQUOR DEALERS,

Corner of Johnson and Government sts,

OFFER FOR SALE

BRANDIES—FRENCH—Hennessey's, Martell's and other brands, in bulk and case;
do Spanish and America, in Bulk;
RUM—Jamaica, in bulk;
WHISKEYS—Scotch and Irish, in bulk and case; American, in bulk;
GINS—Holland, in bulk and case;
BOOTH'S, and SWAINE, BOORD & CO'S Old Toms, in case, glass stoppers; Juniper Cordials, in 1 dozen cases;
PORT AND SHERRY—Various qualities, in bulk and cases;
CLARETS—Various brands, in cases;
CHAMPAGNES—do do qts and pints
ALE—Various brands, 4 dozen cases;
do Tennent's extra strong, in 6 doz casks, in stone jugs;
do Burton and Scotch, in hhds and tierces;
PORTER—Byass' and others, in 2 and 4 dozen cases;
CIDER—American, in small packages; English, in 1 and 2 dozen cases;

Bitters and Syrups of all kinds.

Victoria, V. I. Feb. 13, 1863. Je13

WRIGHT & SANDERS,

ARCHITECTS,

Office—CORNER YATES AND LANGLEY STS Victoria, V. I J6

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Friday Morning, June 26, 1863.

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

JOB PRINTING.

☞ Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the work.

DIFFUSION OF GEOLOGICAL KNOWLEDGE.

We do not know whether the government have any idea of making any use of the grant voted at the last sitting of the House of Assembly for the purpose of enabling a geological survey of the island to be made, or whether it is merely for the purpose of display. No one can justify the latter course; but if the former were intended, what is to be done? That a thorough survey of the island and a full report of its geological and mineralogical capabilities is a most desirable object to be effected, all must admit. It may be doubted, however, whether the country is yet in a position to afford the expense which such an undertaking properly carried out would be certain to demand. To be sure six thousand dollars is no very great sum, and could the survey be made for it, we might consider ourselves amply justified in entering upon the work. From what has been done in other countries, however, it is evident that that amount would be but a very small instalment of the whole cost. It might serve as one of a series of annual grants, but nothing more. In a country like ours, so imperfectly known in its interior, and we may add, as regards the majority of us, as to its exterior also, a geological survey must of course be preceded by a greater amount of geographical data than we now possess. It would scarcely do for the time of a geologist to be occupied in taking bearings for the construction of maps of such portions of the country as are not laid down. However, it is perhaps as well that the government should have the means assisting somewhat men who are willing, whether for pleasure or self interest, to make explorations in portions of the island, with which we are as yet but imperfectly acquainted, and to give the government the benefit of such general information regarding the geography and physical features of the country as they may acquire in their journeys. The judicious expenditure of a few hundred dollars per year in this manner would soon add greatly to our knowledge repecting the Island and its resources. But there is another way in which the public interests may be served, and the future development of our mineral wealth be greatly hastened, and that is, by aiding in the diffusion of a knowledge of geology and mineralogy. These are sciences which the people of a country such as these colonies ought to be thoroughly acquainted with. They are a portion of the education of our youth, which should on no account be neglected. Every school in the colonies where boys are taught, should make these branches part and parcel of its curriculum. Small cabinets of rocks and ores, could be easily made or imported for the purpose of giving the pupils a practical acquaintance, with the subject matter of those sciences. All the dry facts and forbidding names which disgust the young student at the very commencement of his studies, would then have a real habitation to make them interesting. The mountains, the hills, and the rocks of the islands and the mainland would be no longer trodden over in ignorance and without attention. But if it is thus necessary to diffuse a knowledge of the sciences of mineralogy and geology among the youth of the colonies it is equally required in regard to adults.

No one can estimate the loss the country must suffer from the absence of this knowledge among our population. Where one discovery of a metaliferous vein is now made, hundreds might be effected were the education of the masses better in the above respect than what it is. Now the Government can do much to remedy this state of things. From the funds set apart for the purposes of education and the geological survey, it might set apart sufficient to form a geological and mineralogical museum, to be open to the public. The cost could not be very great. Collections of named rocks and ores in their natural state are easily procurable from England for a trifling sum. They would serve as a nucleus to which the mineral productions of our own and the adjacent countries could be added from time to time. There would then be an opportunity for men who have not had the benefit of a scientific education to obtain a visual and practical knowledge of the appearance of the rocks forming the crust of our globe. Combining this acquaintance with the theory they may learn from books, they would in their prospecting tours be alive to metaliferous indications, and would no longer walk blindfolded, passing unconsciously material for untold wealth, as must now be often the case. The presence of the Surveyor General in England now affords a good opportunity to do something for this most useful and necessary measure. By putting himself in communication with some of the geological societies, he might be enabled to receive in various ways assistance towards the inaugurating so laudable an undertaking. The Government should therefore not neglect the matter.

NOTICE!

To Carpenters and Builders!

SEPARATE TENDERS WILL BE received until the 9th of July next for the erection of a dwelling house near Victoria.

Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned.

WRIGHT & SANDERS, Architecs. cor. Yates and Langely streets.

Victoria, June 26, 1863. ju26

Bavaria Brewery,

FORT STREET,

Between Blanchard and Quadra Sts.

THE PROPRIETOR IS NOW PREpared to supply Families, Hotels, and Restaurants with the

Best Quality of Lager Beer,

On the most reasonable terms.

Orders promptly filled, and Beer delivered to any part of the city without extra charge.

MARTIN GOETZ.

☞ Orders left at BISCHOFF'S Gem Saloon, corner of Government and Yates streets, will be promptly attended to. je26 1m

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ONE LOT, CORNER OF COLLINSON and Vancouver streets.

Lot adjoining the above, fronting on Vancouver street.

Five Acre Lot on the Esquimalt Road, adjoining the property of Mr. Booth.

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Two Shares in the Fort Hope Silver Mining Company.

Apply to WILLIAM JEFFRAY.

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TO LEASE, 150 FEET ON GOVERNMENT, between Johnson and Cormorant streets, well adapted for business purposes of every description. Also, 120 feet on Cormorant, below Government street.

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Farm with two Farm Houses for Sale

THE FARM IS IN THE SAANICH District and contains about sixty Acres, forty of which are beautiful Prairie of the richest black soil. It has a large Water Frontage on the Saanich Inlet directly opposite Sayward & Co.'s Sawmill. In situation it cannot be surpassed being in the centre of the most thickly settled portion of the District. The Victoria Stage stops within a few minutes' walk.

One of the Houses is a well built and roomy Farm House, well furnished and with Brick Chimney. The other is a substantial Log House. The whole presents a rare opportunity for any intending Settler to obtain at moderate cost a really first class homestead. Title perfect and terms liberal.

For particulars, apply to E. C. WADDINGTON, Johnson street, or to CHARLES FELLOWS, Land Agent, Government street.

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ALBION IRON WORKS

Chatham and Discovery Streets.

Near Dickson, Campbell & Co, New Warehouse Store street.

VICTORIA, V.I.,

JOSEPH SPRATT, PROPRIETOR.

In order to meet the wants of Vancouver Island, British Columbia, and Puget Sound, the Proprietor of the ALBION IRON WORKS has been induced to expend a large sum of money in erecting a

MACHINE SHOP

—AND—

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On such improved principles as to enable him to do work with unusual despatch, in the best manner, and at most reasonable rates.

There is no similar establishment on the Pacific Coast, that is larger, or better prepared to execute every kind of Machinery, Engines, Blacksmithing, and Iron and Brass Castings. No one need go to San Francisco to fill orders, as the work can be executed at the ALBION IRON WORKS as well, at as low rates, and with as much despatch.

In the Machine Shop there are Bolt-cutting, Planing, and heavy turning Machines.

In the BLACKSMITH SHOP there is a powerful steam blast which enables the Proprietor to do Heavy Blacksmithing.

The attention of persons, and particularly miners, about purchasing Steam Engines, is directed to the Improved Portable Engines, constructed at the Albion Iron Works. These Engines can be successfully worked for Threshing, Hoisting, Pumping, Pile-driving, or for any other use where small power is required. They are simple in construction, have an Economical Boiler, and are considered the best portable engines in use. They would be invaluable auxilaries to the Miners for Hoisting and Pumping.

All orders for high and low pressure Steam Engines, Grist and Quartz Mills, Pumping Machinery, Blacksmithing, Brass and Iron Castings and everything done at a Machine Shop and Foundry, can be filled at the Albion Iron Works.

Particular attention paid to Steamboat Work and general repairs.

Terms: Cash and Low Prices.

JOSEPH SPRATT.

May 20th, 1863. je21 d&w 1m

SHIP "STRATHALLAN" FROM LONDON.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ABOVE Ship must be sent in to the undersigned on or before FRIDAY, 26th inst, or they will not be allowed.

HENDERSON & BURNABY, Agents for ship "Strathallan."

je25

OFFICE QUEEN CHARLOTTE MINING COMPANY, LIMITED

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE Company will be held at the Office of the Company on FRIDAY Afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

By order. ROBERT GEORGE, Secretary.

je25 td

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Beg to inform that they have now on hand a large and choice selection of

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Oil Cloth, Carpets, Matting;

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VICTORIA, V. I. je20 1m

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Champagne, Hock and Moselle, qts, pts and hlf pts;

California White Wine, Angelica and Port;

Rosenbaum's Bitters;

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Old Corn Whiskey;

Common Sherries;

Dark Martell;

BULK GOODS.

Kenneth McKenzie's Whiskey and Old Tom, quarter casks;

Rye and Magnolia Whiskey;

Leeward Island Rum;

"Vine Growers Co." "Pinet Castillion & Co." "Hennessey," and Common Brandies;

"Jerez de la Fronterd," "Harmony" and Duff Gordon Sherries;

Claret, low priced;

Fine Port;

Rum Shrub;

SUNDRIES.

Price's Patent Belmont Sperm Candles;

English Cheese, in tins;

Tea, in ⅓ lb. Packets, hlf chests;

Boots and Shoes;

Crimean Shirts, in hlf doz. Cartoons;

Steel Collars;

Double and Treble Milled Elastic and Cheviot Tweeds and Oxford Cords, Manufactured by Bliss & Co;

Scotch Embroideries, in Collars and Setts;

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ABSTRACT.

Vancouver Island Agricultural and Horticultural Society in Account Current with James Lowe, Treasurer.

1862. Dr.		1862. Cr.	
To Dinner Acc.	$ 3 75	By balance in hand of Treasurer at last Annual Meeting	$ 30 13
" Exhibition acc.	114 25	" Balance in hand of Secretary at last Annual Meeting	22 00
" Premium paid	230 00	" 2 Subscriptions for year 1861	10 00
" General advertising	127 25	" 94 Subscriptions for year 1862	470 00
1863—June 8.		" Donations for 1862	10 00
To Balance	141 63	" Donations of sundry parts of premium	64 75
		" Subscription from His Excellency Governor Douglas	10 00
			$616 88
		1863—June 8.	
Total	$616 88	By balance	$141 63

E. and O. E.

Victoria, V. I., 8th June, 1863. (Signed) JAMES LOWE, Treasurer.

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List of Subscribers

—TO THE—

Agricultural & Horticultural Society,

1862.

His Excellency Governor Douglas, Chief Justice Cameron, John Tod, Dr. Tolmie, A. C. Anderson, D. Leneveu, J. T. Pidwell, James Lowe, J. B. Timmerman, William Irving, J. S. Helmcken, L. Lowenberg, William Jeffray, Lumley Franklin, Selim Franklin, C. C. Pendergast, Henry Nathan, R. Burnaby, T. L. Stahlschmidt, P. M. Backus, Fellows & Roscoe, S. Reinhart, H. Wootton, Sporborg & Goldstone, G. Vignolo, A. D. Macdonald, W. Cocker, James Carswell, J. Eberhardt, Charles Gowan, B. S. Levi, Valentiner & Matthiessen, George Pearkes, J. Kreimler, W. Culverwell, John Keenan, C. W. Wallace, Jr., J. A. McCrea, Edgar & Aime, G. Sutro, W. Mayer, S. Hoffman, N. E. Matthiessen, Mr. Mansell, A. DeCosmos, J. J. Cochrane, J. G. Shepherd, Jas. D. Walker, Dr. Davie, Thos. Nuttall, Robert Ker, Bishop Demers, B. W. Pearse, A. Watson, E. G. Alston, W. Sayward, V. M. Foucault, E. Marvin, R. Finlayson, W. B. Smith, W. B. Naylor, William Muir, Horace Smith, W. Leigh, J. R. Anderson, M. Prag, E. O. Langley, Chas. Dechant, E. H. Jackson, C. Dupond, Mr. Ochsner, B. P. Griffin, Dr. Dickson, Thomas Harris, M. Tuite, Dr. Evans, J. J. Southgate, J. W. Clark, F. W. Green, G. M. Sproat, A. F. Main, E. Stamp, J. H. Doane, George Deans, Wm. Selleck, Rev. Mr. Cridge, H. Henley, G. E. Dennes, J. Coles, T. J. Skinner, Bishop Hills, J. Wright, Archdeacon Wright, J. S. Harrison, J. C. Ridge, Capt. Lascelles, G. R. Fardon, C. W. R. Thomson, Mr. Davies, R. Burrell, G. Richardson, Mr. Duck, Mr. Williams, M. Munro, A. Somerville, A. F. Pemberton, M. Stronach, D. McTavish, F. Green, J. Moorehead, J. Parker, D. B. Ring, J. D. Pemberton, Thos. Cameron, K. McKenzie, J. Schmidt.

There are a few of the above who have not as yet paid their subscriptions; they are hereby requested to hand the amount to the Secretary or Treasurer at an early day.

By order. JOHN T. PIDWELL, Secretary.

NOTICE.

AN EXHIBITION IN CONNECTION with the Agricultural and Horticultural Society, will be held in the last part of SEPTEMBER or first of OCTOBER, at which PREMIUMS will be awarded.

The Premium List will be published at an early day.

Farmers will oblige by furnishing the Secretary with a statement of the number of Acres they may have under cultivation, the proportions laid down in each crop, and product per acre.

JOHN T. PIDWELL, Secretary.

Express copy. je24 tf

Oakland Estate.

Notice to Purchasers of Lots on the Oakland Estate.

THE SECOND INSTALMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY of Lots on the above Estate, will fall due on the 23d of next month, and must be paid on or before that date, at the office of Messrs. FRANKLIN, Government street.

E. C. WADDINGTON.

Johnson st., Victoria, June 23, 1863. je23 1m

WILSON & MILES

OFFER FOR SALE, CORNER OF

Humboldt and Government streets,

Martell Brandy, in bulk and case,
Hennessy's do., do. do.
Jamaica Rum, do. do.
Sherry, (Duff, Gordon & Co.'s) in bulk and case
Port Wine, do. do.
Scotch & Irish Whisky, do. do.
Holland Gin, do. do.
Swaine, Boord & Co.'s Old Tom, in bulk and case,
Crates, 1 gallon kegs,
Burton Ale, continually on draught,
Cases Byass' bottled Ale & Porter.

AUCTION SALES.

City Auction Rooms,

FORT STREET, NEAR WHARF.

DANIEL SCOTT & CO.,

Auctioneers & Commission Merchants.

☞ Horse and Cattle Sales on Saturday.

A large paddock kept for the accommodation of stock sent for sale.

Reference—MACDONALD & Co., Bankers, Yates street.

Cash advanced on consignments of Merchandise, Stock, etc. je11

AUCTION.

THIS DAY,

FRIDAY, June 26th,

DANIEL SCOTT

WILL SELL

On FRIDAY, at 11 A. M.,

IN FRONT OF CITY AUCTION ROOMS,

Fort street, near Wharf,

TWO VERY FINE FAST

AMERICAN SADDLE HORSES

TWO SETTS

Double American Harness,

—AFTERWARDS IN STORE—

SMOKED BEEF,

COFFEE,
TEA,
BUTTER,
LARD,
CHEESE,
BISCUITS,
BRANDY,
SHERRY,
PORTER,
ALE,

ETC ....ETC.,........ETC.

—ALSO—

Several Lots of Table Linen

AND OTHER GOODS,

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BOARDING SCHOOL.

MR. BURR, MASTER OF THE COLONIAL SCHOOL of Victoria, is now prepared to receive more boarding pupils, to whom a sound English education will be given, and through the kindness of Mrs. Burr the care and comforts of home. In addition to the daily exercises of the schoolroom, they will have the advantage of private instruction, qualifying them in a very short period for the various occupations of life. It may be here remarked that the greatest satisfaction has been given to the parents of those children already educated in this department.

TERMS.—including Board and Tuition $20 per month, payable quarterly in advance.

REFERENCE.—Rev. E. Cridge, B. A., Rector of Christ Church, Victoria.

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—AND—

STATIONERS,

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Are constantly supplied and receiving by every Steamer, all new Books by the best English and American authors. STATIONARY and BLANK BOOKS direct from the manufacturers,

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MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS!!!

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

GOLD PENS, Superior Quality.

Having reliable agents in San Francisco and Eastern Markets all orders left in our care will be promptly filled.

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GREAT AND SMALL,

That T. P. Freeman

AT THE PIONEER VARIETY STORE,

ON WADDINGTON ALLEY,

Continues to sell at prices very low

THE PUBLIC KNOW WELL:

MINING SHOVELS
DO PICKS;
DO PANS;
KNIVES AND FORKS;
TABLE AND TEASPOONS,
PLATED WARE;
TIN DO;
FRYING PANS;
AXES, HATCHETS;
GUNS, PISTOLS;
BELLS, HAND SAWS
CROCKERYWARE;
GLASS DO;
TRAYS, PLANES, CHISEL
LOOKING GLASSES;
CROSS CUT SAWS;
RAT AND MOUSE TRAPS;
NAILS, TACKS;

And a General Assortment of Hardware.

—ALSO—

Furniture,

At the above Stor will be found a greater variety of Goods than can be found at any store in the city.

So the Miner, Farmer, or House Keeper can get suited Cheap at one place, all of which will be sold wholesale or retail, Cheap for Cash.

N. B. Second Hand Goods Bought and Sold.

T. P. FREEMAN.

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Notice

To Consumers of

SPRING VALE WATER!

FROM AND AFTER THE FIRST DAY of MAY NEXT this Fine Water will be supplied at 75 cents per Cask of 100 Imperial Gallons equal to 120 American Gallons

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W. CULVERWELL, Yates street.

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THE UNDERSIGNED RECEIVE CONsignments of Colonial Produce, &c., direct, or through the Banks; purchase Home Manufactures, &c. and undertake other commission Business, on the usual London Terms.

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JANION, GREEN & RHODES

Are daily expecting a very large and superior assortment of Goods per

"Rising Sun,"

—AND—

"FUSI YAMA,"

Which vessels are now due at this port. Consisting in part as follows, and which they offer for sale at low rates.

Blankets:

2½ 3 3½ and 4 point WHITE BLANKETS
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2½ 3 3½ and 4 point SCARLET DO.

Dry Goods:

32 IN. T. CLOTHS,
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BLEACHED LONG CLOTH,
DO. COTTON SHEETING,
PRINTS, MUSLINS, ETC.
AYRSHIRE EMBROIDERY,
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HUCK TOWELLING,
TURKISH AND DAMASK TOWELS,
W. BROWN LINEN DAMASK CLOTHS AND TABLING,
BLEACHED LINEN DAMASK CLOTHS, NAPKINS, ETC.,
BLEACHED LINEN DAMASK TOILET COVERS,
IRISH LINENS,
BIRDEYE AND RUSSIA DIAPER,
LINEN SHEETINGS,
CREAM RUSSIA SHEETINGS,
BLEACHED DUCK,
BLUE STRIPED LINEN TICK,
LINEN SHIRTS, COLLARS, &C.
LINEN CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS,
WORSTED DAMASKS,
BLACK AND COLORED ORLEANS AND COBOURGS, ETC.,
PLAIN AND CHECKED WINSEYS,
FANCY BALMORAL SKIRTS.

HOSIERY OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

Clothing and Under-Clothing:

Lambswool, Flannel, o and Kersey Underclothing,
Crimean Shirts, Bands and Collars,
Duck, Cord and Moleskin Pants,
Fancy Tweed, Black and Blue Cloth Trousers,
Tweed Suits, Pea Jackets, &c.,
Mixed Alpaca Coatings,
UNION CLOTHS, DOESKINS, TWEEDS BEDFORD CORDS, &c.,
PILOT CLOTHS, PETERSHAMS, Imit. SEALSKINS, &c.,
BLUE & COLORED SERGE, & B E SHIRTS,

CARPETING:

KIDDERMINSTER, TAPESTRY &B RUSSELS,
AXMINSTER and VELVET RUGS,
VELVET TABLE COVERS, &t.

HATS:

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Felt Hats, various descriptions.

Hardware:

Pig Iron, Glengarnock Calder and other brands,
Sauce Pans, Stew Pans, Tea Kittles, &c.
Galvanized Iron Buckets,
do. do. Roofing,
Coke and Charcoal Tin and Terne Plates,
Round, Square and Flat Iron, all sizes,
Cast Steel for Chisels and Tools,
Bar Lead, Shot, Spelter, Solder, &c.,
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GLASS:

Janion, Green and Rhodes are the Agents for MESSRS CHANCE BROS., Birmingham, and have a large assortment of their superior Glass by this vessel.

Earthen and Glassware of all kinds.

SAL SODA AND SODA ASH,

Chas. Tennant & Co's.

Malt Liquors,

BOTTLED AND IN BULK.

Wm. Younger & Co.—STRONG EDINBRO. ALE.
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John Tyner—BARCLAY & PERKIN'S STOUT.
John Tyner—BURTON ALE.
Thomas Salt & Co—BURTON ALE.
Benj. Dawson & Sons.—YORKSHIRE ALE.
Byass'—PALE ALE—in bottles.

SPIRITS:

OLD TOM—Sir Robert Burnett & Co's.
HOLLANDS—Simon Rynbende & Zonen green case.
DO. John de Kuyper & Co., red case.
COGNAC—Martell's 1860, pale in qr casks.
DO —Hennessey's pale in case.
BRANDIES—Rochelle.
DO. —Tribot Fils.
RUM—Jamaica and Demerera, in cases, octaves and qr casks.
SCOTCH WHISKIES—D. J. Thomson & Co fine malt, Thomas B. Yale & Co. Royal Highland.
IRISH WHISKIES—George Waters & Son's, James Daly & Co., Jamiesons.

WINES.

CHAMPAGNE—Benj. & Eugene Perrier, Emile Robin, Moet & Chandon, Roederers Carte Blanche and other brands.

SHERRIES—in case and bulk—Duff Gordon & Co., Gonzalez & Dubose's, Pale, P. L Villigo's Amontillado, Page & Co's.

PORTS—Sandeman's & Page's, in case and bulk.

ORKS—Wine, Ale and Porter.

CANDLES—Price & Co's. Belmont Sperm, Victoria Sperm, German Sperm, James Miller & Sons, Neva Stearine.

PROVISIONS—Split Peas, Preserved meats in tins, John Moir & Sons', Sardines, in ¼ & ½ lb tins, Sinclair's Belfast Hams, real Westphalia Hams, Cheddar, North Wilts and Double Gloster Cheese. Oatmeal in 28 lb tins. Pearl Barley.

PERFUMERY—Rimmels, Paris and London Perfumery. John Gosnell & Sons, Perfumery and Brushes. Hughes & Jones, Perfumery and Brushes.

OILMAN'S STORES &c.—Heckin, Wilson and Heckin's, Feast's and Cowerd's, Pickles, Salad Oil, Mustard, etc. West India Arrowroot. Italian Macaroni and Vermicelli. Compressed Vegetables. Jujubes. Pastilles. Confectionery. Lea and Perrin's Celebrated Worcestershire Sauce, for which they are agents.

PAINTS.

SUGARS—Raw and Refined.

RICE—Carolina, Rangoon, Arracan and China.

AUCTION SALES.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Auctioneers & Commission Merchants,

WHARF STREET. j6

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ARE LANDING

Ex "RISING SUN."

CLOTHING—Crimean, Ratazzi, Zouave, Prince of Wales, Savoyard and other Shirts. Fancy Mixed Doe and Scotch Tweed Suits. Bedford Cord, Worsted and Tweed Trowsers. Coatees, Capes, Overcoats, etc.

BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS—Men's and Women's, in every variety.

CAPS AND HATS—Boys', Men and Women's, in every variety.

IRONMONGERY—A carefully selected general assortment.

IRON—In bars and bdls, round and square.

LEAD—White, No. 1 and 2, in oil.

PAINT—Black, in 14 lb. iron kegs,

SADDLERY—Pelham Bridles, Saddles, etc.

STATIONERY—Foolscap, Note, Post and Wrapping Paper, Envelopes, Copying, Memorandum and Bound Books, Ink, Slates, Pencils, Rubber, Wax, Wafers and Brushes.

PIPES—Clay Scotch Cutty.

STARCH—Glenfield, Ground Chickory.

SOAP—Yellow, Crown, Mottled and Marine.

MEATS—Preserves, Soups, Vegetables, etc.

JELLIES AND JAMS AND SWEET Milk.

BISCUITS—In 2 and 4 lb. tins, Confectionery (Scotch)

WHISKY—In Puns, Hhds, Qr. Casks, octaves and Kegs.

TENNENT'S ALE AND PORTER—Qts and Pts.

VINEGAR—Malt, White Wine and Raspberry, in cases.

LIME JUICE—Ginger Cordial and Rum, in case.

LIQUORICE—Refined, in Sticks.

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SCOVILL'S BLOOD AND LIVER SYRUP cures Scrofula, White Swelling, King's Evil, Ulcers, Chronic Rheumatism, Goitre or Swelled Neck, Scrofulous Diseases and Indolent Tumors, Mercurial and Syphilitic Affections, Ulcerations and Enlargements of Joints, Glands, Bones or Ovaries, Uterus, Liver, Spleen, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaints, Epileptic Fits, Old Sores, St. Vitus' Dance, Dropsy, and all diseases of the Skin, such as Pimples, Biles, Tetter or Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Sore Eyes, o, many diseases peculiar to Females, such as Leucorrhea, or Whites, Suppression, Irregularity, Sterility, or any other disease arising from impurity of the Blood. For the cure of humors there is nothing in the world can equal this popular and extensively used medicine. All Druggists sell it. REDINGTON & CO., Agents, 416 and 418 Front street, San Francisco.

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IRON in bars, rods, sheets and hoops, band iron, shoe shapes, etc., etc.

STEEL.—Naylor's Octagon cast for drills, also, toe cock, spring and shear.

MINING TOOLS.—Picks, solid gold-mining pans, Mattocks, etc.

TINWARE.—Fry pans, iron and tin camp kettles, tin cups, sheet zinc, wire, etc., etc.,

CHAIN.—Cables, short link, various sizes, traces, ox chains, dog chains, etc.

SMITHS' TOOLS.—Anvils, vices, horse nails, horse and mule shoes, files, rasps, carriage bolts, nuts and washers.

CARPENTERS' AND BUILDERS' GOODS, including all kinds of Carpenters' Tools of the best make, screws, locks, latches, pulleys, bolts, hinges, etc., etc.

FIRE GRATES—A large assortment,

—And a variety of—

GENERAL HARDWARE—Table cutlery, needles, weighing machines, cattle and sheep bells, wire cloth, twine, warehouse trucks, etc., etc.,

—ALSO,—

An Invoice of Mining Boots and Pea Jackets.

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Yates Street, Next Door to Wells, Fargo & Co.

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Between Sacramento and California streets, San Francisco, California

Gold Melted and Assayed.

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Particular attention paid to Assays of Ores.

Lessons given in Assaying Gold, and Gold Bearing Minerals.

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CAUTION.

A ROBBERY OF NOTES OF the Bank of British North America has been committed on my premises, the numbers of which are known to me and for the recovery whereof a Reward has been offered, I therefore warn all persons from taking any such Notes, as I shall take legal proceedings for the protection of my rights.

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H. O. TIEDEMAN.

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SURVEYS IN TOWN AND COUNTRY.

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Dry Goods:

Clothing, Men's and Boys',
Flannel Shirts,
Cardigan Vests,
Gentlemen's Scarfs,
Linen Shirts, Plain and Fancy,
Youths' do.
Linen Collars,
Paper Collars, Plain and Embossed,
Shetland and Lambs' Wool Pants and Shirts,
Lambs' Wool and Shetland Half Hose
French Felt Hats,
Woolen Rugs,
Window Curtains,
Mosquito Netting,
French Merino, in piece,
Ladies' Scarfs,
Twilled Crinolines,
Winsey and Llama do,
Chenille Nets,
Head Dresses, Coronets and Hair Plaits,
Ladies' Sleeves, Falls, Collars, Cuffs and Ties,
Ladies' Gauntlets,
Trimmed Felt Hats,
Shawls and Mantles, a great variety,
Fringed Anti-macassar,
Ladies', Girls' and Children's Stockings and Socks,
French Brocade Dresses.

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Tea and Coffee Services,
Cruet Stands,
Tea Urns,
Fish Knives.

Hardware:

Table Cutlery,
Papier Mache Tea Trays.

Saddlery:

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Saddles,
Sets of Harness.

Liquors:

Brandy, in Case and Bulk,
Port,
Sherry,
Champagne,
Claret.

Provisions, &c.

Preserved Meats,
do. Vegetables,
do. Game,
Oils and Pickles,
Jams.

BOOTS and SHOES, a well selected invoice,

WALL PAPER, a great variety,

CRICKET BATS, BALLS, GLOVES, and GUARDS,

CRICKETING SUITS,

TWO PIANOS, First-Class, Rosewood and Walnut Cases,

BLANKETS, White, Blue and Grey,

ROPE, CORD and TWINE, a fine invoice.

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SHIPPERS FROM SAN Francisco to Victoria are respectfully informed that the "MERCHANTS' LINE continues to carry Freight as LOW as the LOWEST, and that there will always be a First-Class Vessel on the berth at San Francisco.

For further particulars enquire of PICKETT & CO., Agents,

Office in San Francisco, Front st., near Sacramento street.

Office in Victoria, Commercial Row, Wharf street.

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Cleaning, Filling and Extracting with Care.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING been appointed by Mr. Clark as Agent for his

CELEBRATED LIME,

is now prepared to fill orders.

All orders left at the office will be punctually attended to at the

LOWEST MARKET RATE,

FREE OF CARTAGE OR OTHER EXPENSES

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GLASSWARE

—AND—

Fancy Dry Goods.

P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL

TO-MORROW,

On Saturday, June 27

Commencing at 11 o'clock,

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

An Entire Invoice of

Glassware,

EX "RISING SUN,"

Consisting of, in part,

Cut and Tulip Wines,
Government, German and other Tumblers,
Decanters and Sugars and Creams,
Princess Dishes,

ETC. ETC. ETC.

—AN INVOICE—

FANCY DRY GOODS,

Rich Figured Silk Parasols,
French Corsets,
Real Black Lace Mantillas,
Ladies' fine Ruffled Chemises,
" " " Night Dresses,
148 pieces Fancy Colored Silk Fringes,
78 pieces Cotton Fringes and Galons,
Ladies' fine Embroidered Cotton Drawers,

AN INVOICE

Ladies' Ornamental GOODS,

Consisting of Ladies' Improvers;
Head Dresses, Hair Plates;
Coronets, Sleeves, Fans;
Ties, Cuffs and Ties;
Gauntlets;
Batuta Hats, Trimmed Fur Hats;

AN INVOICE

DRESS GOODS, etc.,

—CONSISTING OF—

Pieces Black Silk for Dresses;
" Check " for "
" Plain and Fancy Burmese Ribbons;
" Black and White Blond Laces;
Muslin Collars and Setts;
Felt and Panama Hats;
Leghorn Hats;
White Shirts, Full Fronts;
Crinoline Petticoats;
Pieces Cotton Velvet;
" Fancy Trimmings;

—ALSO—

A Small Invoice Drugs,

AN ASSORTMENT

Tinware AND PEWTER MUGS.

ONE HANDSOME ENGLISH

JAUNTING CAR.

And at Commencement of Sale,

280 BAGS POTATOES.

TERMS AT SALE.

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DR. BURTON'S

Balsamic Compound,

For the Speedy and Radical Cure of Gonorhœa and diseases of the Urinary Organs.

THIS IS A REMEDY WHICH REquires no assistance. It performs its duty quietly and thoroughly, leaving no injurious effect either to the constitution or to the part affected.

It is the result of long experience and close observation in a great number of cases, and has been invariably successful where other medicines or treatment have failed; thus proving itself to be a remedy long required by the public.

Price --- One Dollar per Bottle.

For sale by Druggists everywhere.

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ALFRED J. WELCH

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Please send orders to the Brewery, or to the office, Messrs Barnett & Parker, Government street, opposite St. James' Hotel.

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Ex "Ship Strathallen,"

Blacksmiths' (Newcastle) Coal,

50 tons Newcastle Coal,

(Equal to Cumberland,)

For Sale in Lots to Suit.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Friday Morning, June 26, 1863.

☞ For interesting Miscellaneous Reading Matter, see first and fourth pages.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

DANIEL SCOTT will sell at 11 a. m. at salesroom, Two fine American Saddle Horses, Harness, Smoked Beef, Coffee, Tea, Butter, Lard, Cheese, Biscuits, Brandy, Sherry, Porter, Ale, etc., etc.

Collegiate School.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

The distribution of Prizes in the Collegiate School took place yesterday, in the presence of the largest and most influential gathering of parents and friends which has yet taken place.

The attendance of ladies was unusually large, and one and all manifested the liveliest interest in the proceedings.

The capacious School-room was tastefully decorated for the occasion.

His Worship the Mayor, occupied the Chair. The Prizes were awarded as follows:—

First Class—Governor's Prize, Vaenberg; Bishop's Prize, Gardner. Second Class—Governor's Prize, Branks; Bishop's Prize, Murphy. Third Class—Governor's Prize, H. K. Woods; Bishop's Prize, Elliott. Fourth Class—Governor's Prize, Shirpser; Bishop's Prize, Jamieson; Fifth Class—First Prize, Mouatt; Second Prize, Chas. Woods. Sixth Class—First Prize, James Harvey; Second Prize, Jas. Tolmie and Martin, equal marks.

Besides which, Professor Digby Palmer gave two Prizes for proficiency in Theoretical and Vocal Music. The First being obtained by S. Hoffman. The Second by R. Harvey.

The Drawing Master, Mr. E. Vincent, also gave two Prizes, the First to Levy, the Second to Dulip.

In handing the Prizes to the several boys. His Worship made some few and appropriate remarks.

After the prizes were thus awarded, the Vice Principal, the Rev. W. S. Reece, M. A., gave a review of the last half year's work.

The Rev. R. J. Dundas, M. A., in the absence of the Archdeacon, addressed the boys in his usual happy style. He was followed by the rev. the Principal, who enunciated his views as to what should be the future of the school, announcing, at the same time, what should be the arrangement for the current half-year.

During the interval, the boys, under the direction of Mr. Palmer, delighted the audience by singing some favorite melodies. Their execution of "Hail smiling morn," and "Come where my love lies dreaming," evidently afforded real pleasure to those who were fortunate enough to hear them.

At the close of the proceedings, the Mayor, addressing the boys, announced his intention of giving next Christmas a prize for penmanship, subject to conditions and judgment of the Rev. the Principal.

A vote of thanks to the Mayor having been moved by Robt. Burnaby, Esq., and seconded by the Rev. E. Cridge, B. A., the assembly broke up, the boys having first sung the National Anthem, and given three cheers, lustily as boys can, for "the Queen" "the Bishop," and "the Mayor."

WAGES SUIT.—Scott v. Christian, and Radetzky.—This case was resumed yesterday in the Police Court, Mr. Bishop appearing for the Plaintiff add Mr. Drake for the Defendants. Several witnesses were examined as to the custom of employment adopted in steam saw mills, one of whom stated that each mill was governed by its own rules. This witness, who had been a foreman in the employ of the defendants, did not consider that it was the duty of "tail edgers" to clean out the boiler. When he hired men he told them they would be paid at the end of three months; if they left before then they would have to wait for their money, but if discharged, they would receive immediate payment of what was due. Twenty six days was considered to be a month, but payment was not asked for days they were absent or not at work. After a patient hearing, the magistrate gave judgment for the plaintiff, deducting 19½ broken days from the original demand, which reduced the claim to $29 61cts., and costs.

UNPROVOKED ASSAULT.—Yesterday, in the Police Court, a young man named Jackson, appeared to answer a charge of committing an assault upon Mr. Jessop, the Principal of the Central School. Mr. Jessop detailed the particulars of the offence, and His worship asked the Prisoner if he was willing to offer an apology for his conduct. Jackson caused some amusement by replying that "he was sorry for having raised his hand, but it was not his fault that the gentleman's face came in contact with it." He was excited at the time, however, and was willing to apologize. Mr. Jessop said that his object was not to press the case, but the defendant kept a squaw brothel which had been a source of annoyance for eighteen months, and he wished to have it abated if possible. The magistrate said he would give directions about it, and fined Jackson $5 for the assault.

THE STEAMER ENTERPRISE.—Our old friend and favorite, the Enterprise, has at last left the position she has so long occupied on the Ways at Laing's Yard, where she presented more the appearance of a row of Marine Villas than a steamer undergoing repairs. Her owners took advantage of the opportunity to give her a thorough overhauling and make her a better and stronger vessel than ever she was. She has likewise been yellow-metalled. The Enterprise quitted the ways at 7 p. m., but as water could not be got into her boilers where she lay, Capt. Mouatt endeavored to let her drift down with the wind. She eventually brought up in the channel, between Laurel and Hospital Points. On reaching her moorings, she will be placed in the hands of the painters. The company has spared no expense in placing their fine vessel in a condition to maintain for some years to come the high reputation she has always borne.

ACCIDENT.—Yesterday afternoon, about 5 o'clock, a man who was at work on board the Rising Sun discharging cargo, fell down the hold, a height of 25 feet, striking his head against the keelson. Drs. Dickson and Chipp were sent for, and cursorily examined the man, but found no bones broken; he was, however, insensible, and the pupil of his eye was contracted. Appearances led to the belief that there was concussion of the brain. The sufferer was removed to the Hospital. His name is said to be Dick Reid.

ASSAY.—Messrs. Molitor & Co. have made an assay of two specimens of the ore brought down from the Queen Charlotte Company's mine, and obtained a result of $60 to $70 per ton of gold from the one, and $105 per ton from the other, besides traces of silver. This has caused the stock to look up.

ARRIVED.—The schooner F. P. Green from the Sound with lumber. The sloop John Dickson, from San Juan. The sloop Northern Light, from Port Angelos; and boat Kate Cotie, from Alberni.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Caledonia arrived last night from the river, with a few passengers. The Masons had been well received at New Westminster. There was nothing later from Cariboo.

☞ The steamer Governor Douglas arrived yesterday morning early, with a few passengers from the Fraser. Her news had been anticipated by the Otter.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE COPPER COMPANY.—A general meeting of this company will be held at their office this afternoon at three o'clock.

☞ The adjourned inquest on the body of George Andre will take place this evening at seven o'clock, at the Boomerang Inn.

Assizes.

[BEFORE HIS HONOR CHIEF JUSTICE CAMERON.]

THURSDAY, 25th June.

This court met at 11:30 a. m.

SENTENCE OF DEATH PASSED UPON FOUR PRISONERS.

A-chee-wun, She-na-sa-luk and Qual-a-tultun, the three prisoners convicted of firing on the gunboat Forward, and killing a seaman named Charles Glyddon, were placed at the bar in order to receive the sentence of the Court.

The prisoners, through the interpretation of the Rev. Mr. Garrett, were made to comprehend the nature of the offence of which they stood convicted, and were asked if they had any reason to give why sentence should not be passed against them.

A-chee-wun replied that it was not his desire to fire upon the gunboat; it was at the instigation of the chief Squakum that the ambush was laid, and that they fired.

She-na-sa-luk replied in the same strain.

Qual-a-tultun said that "his heart was right, and that it was at the urgent instigation of the same chief that he fired."

His Lordship, addressing the prisoners, said: "You, A-chee-wun, She-na-sa-luk and Qual-a-tul-tun, have been found guilty by the Jurors of our Sovereign Lady, the Queen, for the offence of murder. It appears by the evidence that you were each engaged with others assembled, in resisting the officers of justice in the execution of their duty, and following up that resolution you killed a man named Charles Glyddon. The law is clear in providing that officers of justice shall not be resisted with impunity.

You left your village to form an ambush, and fire on H. M. gunboat. Even if (as some of you say) you did not fire, you were there, and countenanced the others in firing, which makes you equally guilty in the eye of the law.

Against you, A-chee-wun, there are two other indictments for homicides, which the Crown Prosecutor has not gone into, because the present charge is, of itself, a capital offence.

There are also other charges against all three.

So that even if you had escaped the present indictment you would have been indicted upon other serious charges.

I cannot accept the excuse that you were instigated by your chief; you have been living long enough to know the laws. You have been to Victoria, and must know the punishment awarded to persons whether white or colored who take the lives of their fellow creatures.

The Jury have accompanied their verdict with a recommendation to mercy, that recommendation I shall be sure to forward to the Executive, but I cannot hold out hopes of mercy.

It is my painful duty to pass the sentence which the law requires for the crime of which you have been convicted.

His Lordship then passed sentence of death upon each of the prisoners in the usual form.

The execution was fixed to take place in in front of the Police Barracks on Saturday, July 4, between the hours of 6 and 8 a. m.

The prisoners listened patiently to the interpretation of the sentence, but displayed no emotion whatever upon learning the fate which awaited them.

SENTENCE OF DEATH PASSED UPON THE MURDERER OF MARKS AND HIS DAUGHTER.

Um-wha-nuk, the wretch who was found guilty of assisting in the murder of Frederick Marks, and then consummating the enormity of his crime by plunging his knife into the breast of the unoffending girl, Caroline Harvey, was next placed at the bar.

In reply to the usual inquiry from the Bench, the prisoner said "His heart never had been bad; he was not guilty of the charge laid against him, but Sha-cut-sus, one of the witnesses brought against him, had belied him."

His Lordship, addressing the prisoner, said: You, Um-wha-nuk, are now to receive the judgment of the court. It is too late to urge such an excuse. You, with your comrade Palluck, after deliberately shooting the man Marks, went and cruelly killed his daughter. Your heart was not good then. It is high time to put an end to offences of the nature of which you have been convicted, and you now stand at the bar of justice to pay the penalty of forfeiting your own life for taking that of another.

Sentence of death was then passed upon the prisoner, the date and place of execution to be the same as in the other cases.

The prisoner, on receiving the sentence, hung down his head, but evinced little or no concern.

MANSLAUGHTER.

Skilo-weet, the old Lemaltsa Indian who was tried for the murder of a white man (name unknown) about five years ago, and found guilty of manslaughter, next came up for sentence.

Prisoner, in reply to the question which had been submitted to the other prisoners, said:—"I am an old man and have no wish to die, and would like to remain always in jail."

The Judge, in passing sentence, said: "You, Skiloweet, are charged in the indictment with murder. The jury have taken a merciful consideration of the evidence, and in consequence of mitigating circumstances, returned a verdict of manslaughter. Such a verdict saves your life; but it is necessary for the court to look at the nature of your offence, and to award a commensurate punishment, in order to deter others from perpetrating similar offences. You are an old man, and ought to have used influence with Palluck not to kill the white man. The jury have taken your statement that you did try to deter him, though unfortunately without success, into consideration; but it is my duty to inflict the heaviest punishment which the law permits. The court, therefore, sentences you to be imprisoned in Her Majesty's Jail four the term of four years with hard labor.

The prisoners were then removed.

IMPORTANT RUMOR.—A report is in circulation that an order has been received by the thorities in W. T., from Washington, prohibiting the exportation of cattle, horses, sheep, and all live stock from Puget Sound to Vancouver Island and British Columbia. The prohibition is said to extend also to California, and is to be put in force forthwith. We give the rumors as it at present passes current, without comment. Confirmation is of course needed.

ANOTHER DEAD MAN FOUND.—A man, whose name has not yet transpired, was discovered yesterday afternoon dead in his cabin on Store street. He had been seen the day before, but when found was on his hands and knees on the floor, with blood issuing from his mouth and nostrils, and his limbs stiff. An inquest will be held upon the body at two o'clock this day, at the Boomerang Inn.

VITALITY IN HORSES.—Some experiments have recently been made in France by persons skilled in the veterinary art, with a view of ascertaining how long horses may live without food in certain contingencies, as for example, being shut up in besieged places. These results have been achieved: A horse may live 25 days without any solid food, and only drink. He may live 17 days without eating or drinking. He can live only 5 days, when consuming solid food, without drinking. After taking solid aliment for the space of 10 days, but with an insufficient quantity of drink, the stomach is worn out. The above facts show the importance of water in the subsistence of the horse, and the desire the animal must feel to be supplied with it. A horse which had been deprived of water for the time of three days subsequently drank 11 gallons in three minutes.

"ASA! ASA! ASA!"—Such was the cry of Vallandigham from the upper window, when about to be arrested; no doubt the grand hail of distress of the Knights of the Golden Circle. The Cleveland *Herald* is assured by one familiar with the rituals of secret orders, that when "the grand hailing sign of distress cannot be seen, the word is to be heard."—*Am. Ex.*

☞ Prentice says he is not a betting man, but he will lay Louis Napoleon a trifling wager that he will conquer the Confederacy before he conquers Mexico—and Victoria may hold the stakes.—*Am. Ex.*

Mr. John Morris at Williams Creek.

BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR LOWHEE!

WILLIAMS CREEK, June 7th, 1863.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST—SIR:—Up to this all is excitement and jumping claims. Many of the Victoria people have been imposed upon by their purchases of claims made illegally, as the law is now interpreted here.

FACTS AND PROBABILITIES.

There may be from 2,000 to 2,500 persons upon the creek. The number of paying claims above the town may be set down at five or six, with some six or eight below the cañon. The water is giving much annoyance to the works. By two weeks there will be a great many paying claims on the creek; all promising well.

LOWHEE CREEK.

Most of the claims there are now paying. It is in advance of this creek as to present payings, and promises to be the favorite creek of the diggings.

ANTLER CREEK.

Nearly deserted—no paying there yet.

LIGHTNING CREEK.

The Whitehall Claim paying well, and some half dozen others, all above the town of Van Winkle.

BURNS—GROUSE—NELSON

Are abandoned; the miners of these claims all congregated at Lowhee and Williams.

Last Chance Discovery paying; the one adjoining it also paying well.

SUGAR CREEK.

There are four claims now being worked, and others about to be worked.

JACK OF CLUBS

Is being prospected.

MONEY AND PROVISIONS.

Money is very scarce here, and provisions not plenty. Pack-trains will not arrive much sooner than one month. Provisions are getting up, owing to their scarcity.

[Mr. Loring and his party, who arrived here on Wednesday evening from up above, report that trains had got within a few miles of the creek, and by this time, in all probability, fresh supplies will be pouring in.—ED. COL.]

My next will give a flattering account of the claims below the cañon, should the weather continue fine for that period.

Yours, faithfully,

JOHN MORRIS.

Confederate Privateers in the China Sea —Startling Facts and Speculations.

[From Correspondence of N. Y. Herald.]

LONDON, May 7, 1863.

Looking at some letters of the Virginia traitor, M. F. Murry, which were intercepted and published over six months ago, and at other indications, we see and know that the Confederates, for a year, or a year and a half, have not gone on any "ninety-day theory," but have looked far ahead; particularly in their naval operations, and have made regular contracts here for numerous efficient war steamers, and bided their time till they could be finished. That is what has given such a tone of confident assurance, approaching to the language which we have seen in the reports of their Naval Secretary and Jeff Davis' messages, and in Maury's luckless letters. These calculations have all been made on the basis of doing as much damage as possible to the material interests of the United States—naval, commercial and otherwise—combined with any profit that could be gained to the Confederacy and the operators.

The smaller and less efficient of the war vessels built, and, as a matter of course, those that would be finished first, would very naturally be put on cruising grounds nearer home, like the Atlantic and West India waters, where refuge and protection would be most readily found. Then the largest and most powerful steamers, and those that would be the longest in building, would be sent on the most distant and most perilous cruising grounds.

The China seas offer several rare advantages. They are the resort of the finest ships and have the richest cargoes of American and foreign goods that are found in any trade. They all pass through certain well-known straits and waters where they can be easily captured. They are far from America, and where the United States cruisers would be very unlikely to be found to give them trouble. They are surrounded by British Colonies, trading posts, war vessels and every class of Englishmen who sympathize with the rebels and will give them all aid and assistance. These very British speculators, in a region where the standard of commercial morality is notoriously low, are the right parties to purchase, smuggle, conceal and dispose of the captured cargoes of the luckless Yankee traders that fall into the hands of these piratical rovers of the sea. There are in these seas vast numbers of pirates and smugglers—Chinese as well as other nationalities—and these are relied on as the persons to purchase probably at a quarter of their actual value, which to the pirates is all profit, and pay in Spanish dollars, rupees, gold-dust and other descriptions of bullion and coin, and thus relieve the captors of ships and cargoes, while the crews can be turned adrift on any of the islands; and if they are all murdered, so much the better for such fellows as Capt. Semmes and his fellow pirates.

Without theorizing, this is what the parties here did. About a year ago agents were sent out to Canton, Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghae, and full information obtained and arrangements made for their future operations. In the first place they got full particulars of all the American trade to China and the far eastern ports of China, Calcutta, Batavia, etc.; the usual number of ships monthly had arrived at and departed from each port; the kind and value of the cargos; the American ports the vessels came from, and the European ports they are in the habit of returning to when they do not go direct to the United States. Then full information was obtained as to the islands, waters, ports and haunts of all the local pirates and smugglers, were captured, cargoes could be disposed of and ships sold, to be converted into local or Confederate pirates in their turn. All arrangements were made, too, for full supplies of coal to be sent out from England and to be ready at the most prominent localities to supply the Alabama, Georgias, Floridas and Louisianas that are going to have such capital cruising grounds and such a good time generally.

The following is the description of one of the vessels that my informant stated had actually gone—sailed along with her consort also built in the Clyde—several weeks ago: "Messrs. Thompson Brothers are building, on the Clyde, a powerful armor-plated steam-ram, 'for the Emperor of China,' to be ready for sea on the 9th of April next. She is about 250 feet long by 45 beam and 35 in depth. Her armor plates are from 4½ to 5 inches thick. Her engines will be of 500-horse power each."

This description is from the London *News* of February 12. It may be doubted if there is a vessel in the American navy that in speed, power, armor or armament could cope with this iron clad steam-ram. And suppose you had a dozen that were each and all more than a match for her, and they were to be sent out to the Eastern seas in search of her; there is not a British merchant, a British smuggler, a British pirate, a British war vessel, a British naval officer, a British diplomatist, a British consul, or a British colonist from the Cape of Good Hope to Shanghae, from the Hoogley to the headquarters of the Riff pirates, that would not be instantaneously turned into a spy to give information to the Confederate pirate, to send him warning, to give him every kind of aid and succor, to fight for him, to put the American vessels on a false scent, to block their passage in every British port, to get the Confederate a clean pair of heels and 24 hours the start. This would be the condition of things in the Oriental waters, if American cruisers were to attempt to capture Confederate vessels.

Mr. Laird, of Birkenhead, has just got out one or two of his steamers built for the Emperor of China, and these are boldly on trial in Southampton waters and soon to start for Celestial waters. He pretends these are actually for the Brother of the Sun and the Cousin of the Moon. Perhaps they are.

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The undersigned having purchased from Mr. Heisterman the Goodwill of the above named institution, asks from the Subscribers and the inhabitants of Victoria and its vicinity, their liberal patronage and support, and begs to assure them that his utmost endeavors will be used to make the room as attractive as possible.

He depends greatly upon the kind assistance of his friends and patrons to consummate that object.

By increasing and improving the Library the Ladies of Victoria will be enabled to participate in the advantages of the institution. And to attain that, immediate arrangements will be made for obtaining all the new literary works of the United Kingdom, Europe and America.

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Victoria, V. I., 1st June, 1863.

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HEALTH FOR A SHILLING.

Holloway's Pills.

Headaches, Bile, Loss of Appetite, and Lowness of Spirits.

These Pills require no interruption of business or pleasure; they act mildly on the bowels, strengthen the stomach, and promote a healthy action of the liver, whereby they purify the blood, cleanse the skin, brace the nerves, and invigorate the whole system. They effect a truly wonderful change in debilitated constitutions, as they create a healthy appetite correct indigestion, remove bile, giddiness, headaches, and palpitation of the heart.

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There are two periods, especially in Woman's life, which require for safe passage, judgment and attention. Irregularity is apt at those critical times to take place, and to lay the foundation of future disease These Pills, safe in action, and effective in result, should be taken at certain periods, and the issue will be marvellous both to the young and the middle aged. They prevent nervousness, hysterics, dropsy, and a host of similar serious disorders, by expelling all impurities from the system, therefore none should ver be without them.

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No medicine will cure colds so quickly as these Pills, when of long duration or settled on the chest or even though it has assumed the first stage of asthma, they may be relied on as a certain and never failing cure, particularly if the Ointment be well rubbed into the chest and throat night and morning. This catch the eye of any asthmatical person so bad as even not able to lie down in bed, let him well use these two preparations for only a week, and the result will be marvellous.

Blood to the Head—Diseases of the Heart,

More persons die suddenly from diseases of the heart than the unlearned suppose: in such complaints, the bowels should always be kept well open, as also where there is a tendency of blood to the head. These celebrated Pills purify the blood in an extraordinary manner, and should be taken in copious doses when such symptoms occur, taking care not to overload the stomach; by this means all danger is quickly averted.

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Blotches on the Skin	Female Irregularities	Lumbago	Tic-Douloureux
Bowel Complaints	Fevers of all kinds	Piles	Tumours
Colics	Fits	Rheumatism	Ulcers
Constipation of Bowels	Gout	Retention of Urine	Venereal Affections
Consumption	Head-ache	Scrofula, or King's Evil	Weakness, from whatever cause
Debility	Indigestion		
	Worms of all kinds		

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Box. n14

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Victoria, V. I., 14th May, 1863. je14 tf

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BRITISH COLONIST.

Ocean Telegraphs.—Cyrus W. Field has issued a tabular exhibit of the results of ocean telegraph making, from which we compile the following facts: The first telegraphic cable laid across a sea or strait was that which connects Great Britain and France by way of Calais and Dover (27 miles across) where the greatest depth is but 28 fathoms, or 168 feet. That was laid only twelve years ago; and already forty-nine submarine telegraphs are recorded (only three of them in this hemisphere), which have a total length of 5,684 miles; or, if we count the different strands or insulated wires of 9,567 miles; so that the wires already laid down in submarine cables would considerably more than span the full diameter of the globe. The longest cable is that which connects the isle of Malta with Alexandria (Egypt) by a circuitous course, which makes the distance 1,535 miles, with a maximum depth of 2,520 feet, or nearly half a mile; but far deeper water is traversed by that only 520 miles long which connects France and Algiers, and reaches a maximum depth of 1,585 fathoms, or nearly two miles. That which connects Toulon with Corsica finds a nearly equal depth; proving the Mediterranean to have soundings nearly or quite as great as are encountered in crossing from Ireland to Newfoundland. That there will be a telegraph working regularly between Europe and America before 1870 we hold to be morally certain. The very next effort to lay the wire may fail; but of ultimate success there can be no rational doubt. There are no greater difficulties involved than have already been successfully surmounted.—*New York Tribune.*

A Poem Having only One Vowel.—In the following only one vowel is used, and a very peculiar verse we have in consequence. We do not know who took the trouble to write the lines, but they are curious now they are done:

No monk too good to rob or plot,
No fool so gross to bolt Scotch collops hot.
From Donjon tops no Oronoko rolls,
Logwood not lotos, floods Oporto's bowls.
Troops of old tosspots oft to sot consort.
Box tops schoolboys too do flog for sport.
No cool monsoons blow of on Oxford dons,
Orthodox, jog-trot, book-worm Solomons!
Bold Ostrogoths of ghosts no horror show.
On London shop-fronts no hop-blossoms grow.
To crocks of gold no dodo looks for food.
On soft-cloth footstools no old fox doth brood.
Long storm-tost sloops forlorn work to port.
Rooks do not roost on spoons, nor woodcocks snort,
Nor dog on snowdrop or on coltsfoot rolls,
Nor common frog concocts long protocols.

FOR SALE—TO LET.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE FOLLOWING LOTS WILL BE Sold or Leased at low prices:

LOT No. 1735 James Bay;
" " 1736 " "
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1 Lot on Marian street between Blanchard and Quadra streets.

Thirty years' Lease of Two Stores on Government street.

Also, several Lots on Lease.

Apply to J. H. PITTS, Opposite the St. James. Government street.

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TO BE DISPOSED OF IMMEDIATELY one of the most Lucrative Businesses in the City of Victoria, in consequence of the present Proprietor having urgent business at Cariboo. Amount required, about $8,000 a large portion of which may remain at a small rate of interest.

Profits from $8,000 to $10,000 per annum with the certainty of a continued gradual increase. Cash not so much an object as to effect an immediate sale.

The business is particularly suited to two or three active young men.

City Lots or Mortgages at fair value will be taken as cash.

For further particulars, apply to MR COPLAND, Langley street.

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HORSES & COW FOR SALE!

4 HORSES, 1 MILCH COW.

☞ For Sale by JOHN YERMAN, Park street, opposite the Catholic Church.

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For Sale!

WORK OXEN —AND— HORSES.

☞ For particulars, apply to G. D. CLARKE, Colonial Market, Johnson street, Victoria.

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To Let!

THE STORE ON FORT STREET now occupied by Messrs. Daniel Scott & Co., as "the City Auction Mart," and measuring 60 x 30 feet. Entry on 1st July next.

☞ Apply to CARSWELL & CO., Langley Street.

10th June, 1863. j11 tf

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AN OFFICE, IN THE REAR OF Government street, Victoria.

☞ Apply to ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor.

Victoria, June 10th, 1863. j11 tf

NOTICE.

TO THOSE WHO ARE WANTING HOMESTEADS, the undersigned is now ready to Lease building lots in Victoria, west for a number of years, at a rental of from $2½ per month and upwards, according to size and situation.

P. S.—Also a few Lots for Sale!

Apply to J. NAGLE, Office near the Police Barracks.

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THE WHOLE, OR ANY PORTION OF the "REGENT PARK," corner of St. Charles and Fort Street, containing about twenty acres, already improved with trees and ornamental fence. It is, undoubtedly, the most beautifully situated piece of ground for Private Residences to be found in the neighborhood of Victoria—commanding the best scenery of the Island.

Terms—10 years credit, with 6 per cent. interest per annum.

Also—A few small lots on the corner of Pemberton and Fort Streets, on reasonable terms.

Apply to the owner, CHARLES VEREDHEN, On the land, or cor. of Fort and Douglas sts.

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ROUTES TO CARIBOO.

HURRAH For Cariboo!!

DOUGLAS AND LILLOOET ROUTE IS BY FAR THE Shortest and Best BOTH FOR MEN AND ANIMALS TO THE CARIBOO MINES,

As will be seen at once by the following TABLE OF DISTANCES, which have been CHAINED by Government, NOT GUESSED AT, as on the Lytton Mule Trail.

FROM DOUGLAS TO HANCOCK'S 4 Miles.
Thence to Perry's .... 6 "
" Hensley's .... 1 "
" Chapais' .... 3 "
" Gowan's .... 2 "
" Stein's (Hot Springs) .... 4 "
" Joice's .... 4 "
" Williams' .... 4 "
" Pemberton, over the Lillooet Lakes now connected by Steamers—Fare, $1 .... 20 "
" Half-Way House .... 12 "
" Anderson Lake .... 12 "
From Anderson and Seaton Lakes to Port Seaton—Fare, $1 on each Lake .... 34 "
Thence to Lillooet Flat .... 3½ "
Whole Distance from Douglas to Lillooet by Land over a Good Wagon Road .... 55½ "

☞ Remember that Lillooet is 45 Miles above Lytton. ☜

On the Lillooet Lake

Goulding's New and Splendid Steamer "Prince of Wales" 100 TONS BURTHEN, Will Make Two Trips per Day. And is capable of taking on board The Heaviest Wagons OR AN ENTIRE MULE TRAIN!

On Seaton Lake

Taylor & Co. are just Completing a SIDE-WHEEL STEAMER, THE Prince Alfred 110 FEET IN LENGTH, Capable of Transporting 200 tons of Freight per Day.

ABOVE LILLOOET, the Distances are as follows

From Lillooet to Fountain .... 8 Miles.
" Fountain to Pavillion .... 13 "
" Pavillion to Cut Off Valley .... 14 "
" Cut Off to Clinton .... 12 "
Total .... 47 Miles.

Making the Distance from Lillooet to the Junction of the LILLOOET-ALEXANDRIA WAGON ROAD WITH THE LYTTON CITY MULE TRAIL Only 47 Miles,

While the same point is 92 miles from Lytton, and only 20 miles of the Lytton-Alexandria Wagon Road are Finished in any one place!

From Clinton to Alexandria Wright's Wagon Road Will be Completed by the 1st of June, WHEN A Regular Line of Stages WILL RUN FROM DOUGLAS TO ALEXANDRIA Connecting there with the New Steamer "ENTERPRISE," which will make DAILY TRIPS From thence to Quesnelle River, Landing Freight and Passengers within 50 Miles of Lightning and Van Winkle Creeks!

☞ We call upon travellers who have Wagons or Animals, especially to Avoid the Lytton Route!

As the Wagon Road is Unfinished, and will not be passable before the 1st of August.

☞ Do not be deceived by the representations of interested parties who will give you all sorts of false information regarding the Lytton Route, and the various distances, which have never yet been measured.

As a Proof of the Existence of Good Hotels on the Wagon Road!

Above Lillooet, we give the following list of Houses and their distances from Lillooet.

	MILES.
Lorenzo's	8
Frenchman's	18
Reynolds'	20
Maitley's	22
McBeath's	28
Harkell's	29
Reynolds'	36
Watson's	47
Saul & Co's	60
Calbraith's	70
McMurphy's	74
Walters & Co's	87
Bridge Creek	100
Durgan's	106
Cochrane's	112
Anderson's	116
Felker's	128
Mrs. Jones	146
Davidson's	151
Deep Creek	161
Dunleavy's	184
Alexandria	200

One Hundred Wagons WILL BE EMPLOYED IN Transporting Goods on this Route.

By the new arrangements made this year on the Douglas Route, Passengers Leaving Douglas by Stage WILL Reach Lillooet the next Morning. FROM LILLOOET TO ALEXANDRIA Will only occupy Four Days, THENCE ON TO MOUTH OF QUESNELLE THROUGH TO VAN WINKLE.

Then by all means take the Douglas and Lillooet Route as the Cheapest, Quickest, Safest, most Commodious, and above all, the most High-Toned and ELEGANT ROUTE TO CARIBOO.

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Every Person Should Know THAT THE Shortest, Best and Cheapest ROUTE TO THE CARIBOO MINES IS VIA THE YALE AND LYTTON WAGON ROAD!

The chained distances on the Yale and Lytton Road are as follows:

From Yale to Boston Bar .... 25 Miles
" Boston Bar to Lytton .... 32½ "
" Lytton to McLean's .... 47½ "
" McLean's to the Junction of the Wagon Roads .... 19 "
Distance from Yale to Junction. 124 Miles

COMPARE THE ABOVE

With the following distances set down by Lillooet Shippers:

From Douglas to Lillooet .... 110 Miles
" Lillooet to Junction .... 47 "
Distance from Douglas to Junction .. 157 Miles

The Junction

Is the point at which the Wagon Roads intersect each other, and where the Cariboo-bound traveller by the Yale-Lytton and Douglas-Lillooet routes MUST meet. It will, therefore, be seen by the above figures that the traveller by YALE and LYTTON has

THIRTY-THREE MILES LESS TRAVEL

Than if he went by the Douglas-Lillooet Route.

☞ Remember that on this Route there are NO PORTAGES where Goods or Animals may be detained.

Messrs. DUHIG, LANE, BLACK, and other Carriers of Merchandise, advertise to Carry Freight from Yale to Lytton $20 Per Ton Less Than is or will be charged on the Douglas-Lillooet Route.

THE NEW AND SPLENDID STEAMER "Reliance" Connects with the Victoria Steamer "Enterprise" And conveys her Freight and Passengers to Yale at greatly reduced Rates.

Shippers

Desirous of getting Freight through to Cariboo this season are advised to Shun the Douglas-Lillooet Route!!

☞ And are also referred to the testimony adduced in the CRANFORD CASE, wherein witnesses have stated upon oath that 15, 20, or even 30 Days is a reasonable time to convey Freight from Douglas to Lillooet.

Five Days only are Required To carry Goods from Yale to Lytton, and Shippers are Assured That if Freight is carried from Douglas to Lillooet for Two Cents per lb.,

CARRIERS ARE PREPARED TO FREIGHT FROM YALE TO LYTTON With Safety and Despatch, for One Cent Per Lb.!

All those who allow themselves to be crammed by Douglasites this year need expect no sympathy from the public if they get broke in trying to get goods through that route.

☞ Remember the Cranford affair, and steer clear of extortion and delays.

Travel the Yale and Lytton Wagon Road to the Cariboo Mines.

☞ New and Commodious Hotels have been erected at convenient distances along the entire length of the Route, where First Class Accommodations for both man and beast are bestowed at moderate rates

☞ FOR CHEAPNESS, DESPATCH, EASE and SECURITY choose the Yale and Lytton Route in preference to all others in British Columbia.

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